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Attn: Ms. Dorethea Allen

16 July 2009

Re: Patent 6986993 (serial number 09/716732)
1st maintenance fee due on 17 July 2009
Deposit Account 04-0750
Additional payment

Dear Ms Allen

Reference is made to our 1st maintenance fee payment of \$ 490.00 on 9 July 2009.

We have now been advised by our client that **LARGE entity status applies.**

We, therefore, would like to request you to take an additional payment in the amount of **490.00** to our deposit account number 04-0750.

Enclosed, we are sending a copy of a declaration from the Assignee confirming a large entity status. We kindly ask you to update your record accordingly.

We thank you in advance for your assistance and remain.

Very yours truly
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NOTIFICATION UNDER 37 C.R.F. § 1.27(g)(2)


The Office is hereby notified that small entity status is not appropriate for the above-identified patent, and Patentee requests that the Office change its records accordingly.

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